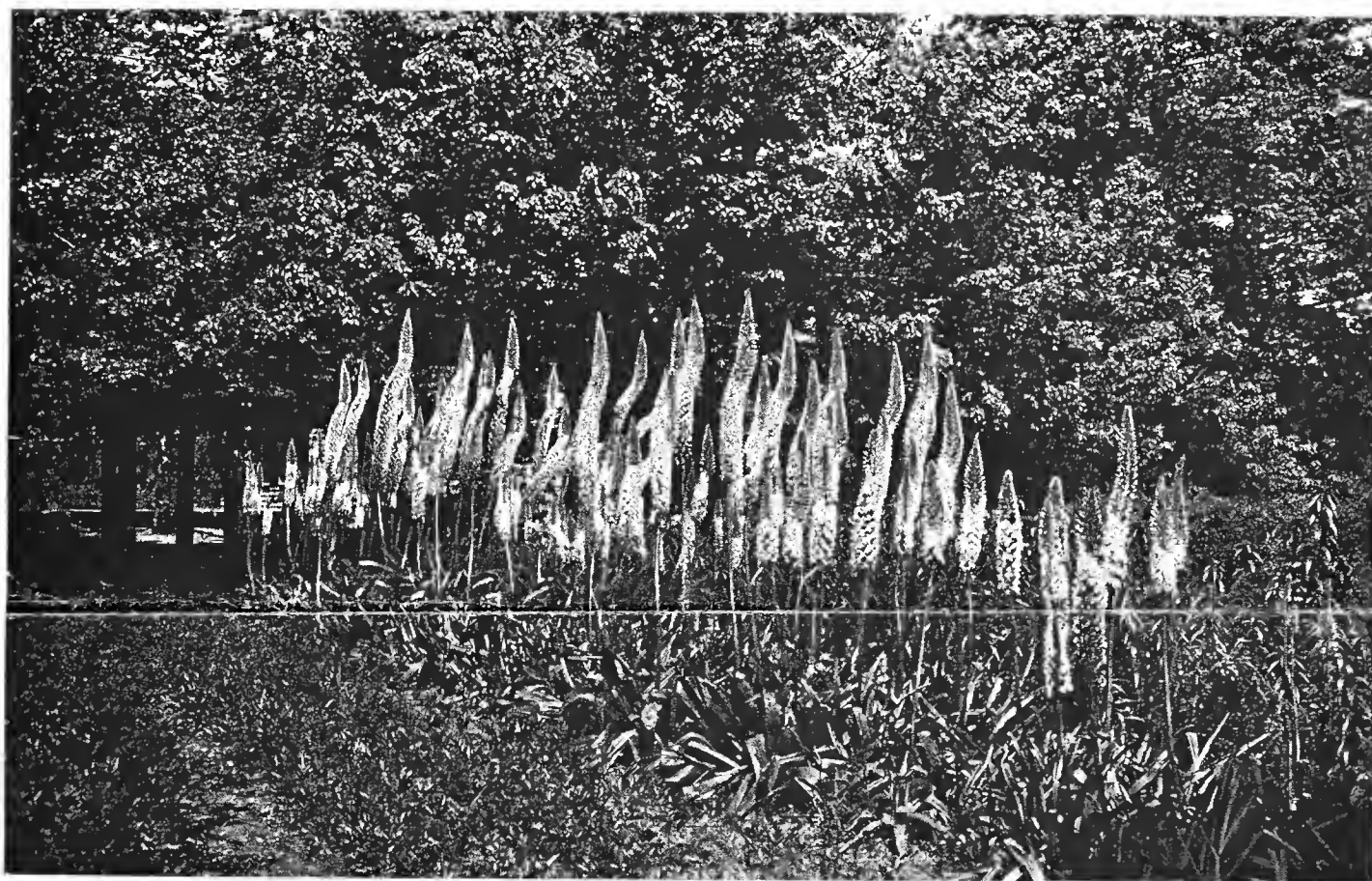


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EREMURI (*Foxtail Lilies*)

## *Eremuri*

### FOXTAIL LILIES, GIANT ASPHODELS

A WELL grown clump of Eremuri may justly be regarded as an achievement to be proud of. The great flower stalk, often eight feet tall and more, rises from a crowded tuft of long, narrow leaves, and is crowned by a flower spike two to three feet long, composed of closely set bell shaped flowers, star-like in effect, in soft tones of rose, yellow, salmon and white.

When the gigantic flowering is over, the plant disappears entirely, but reappears very early in the spring, when it is advisable to protect the young flower spike from late frosts.

To fill the great bare space left when the plants go to rest, Gypsophilas may be planted near at hand and kept staked until the Eremuri die down, when they may be allowed to fall forward in their place. Some of our clients have most successfully planted them on the north side of evergreens.

In winter a mulch of wood ashes over the crown is a safeguard, or a box may be filled with leaves and inverted over it. These plants enjoy a rich soil with an admixture of sharp sand, and a well drained sunny situation. Once established they should never be moved, for the roots are exceedingly brittle and liable to injury.

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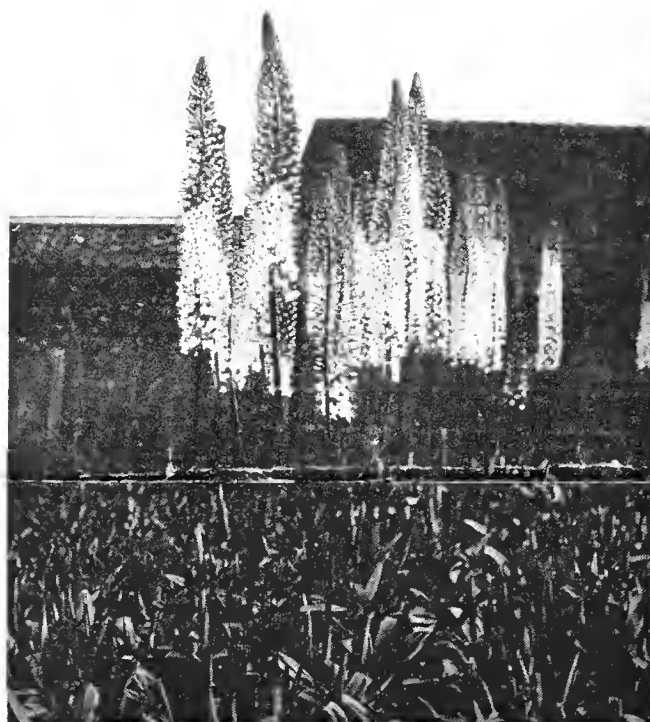
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